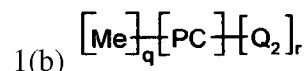
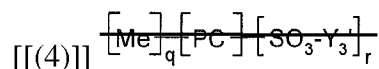


AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) A composition comprising at least one water-soluble phthalocyanine photocatalyst of formula 1(b)[[(4)]]



in which

PC is the phthalocyanine ring system;

Me is Zn; Fe(II); Ca; Mg; Na; K; Al-Z₁; Si(IV); P(V); Ti(IV); Ge(IV); Cr(VI); Ga(III); Zr(IV); In(III); Sn(IV) or Hf(VI);

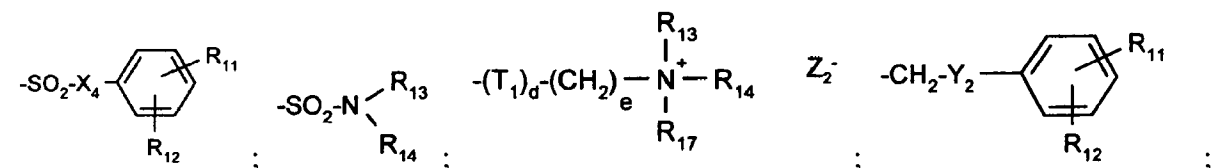
Z₁ is a halide; sulfate; nitrate; carboxylate; alkanolate; or hydroxyl ion;

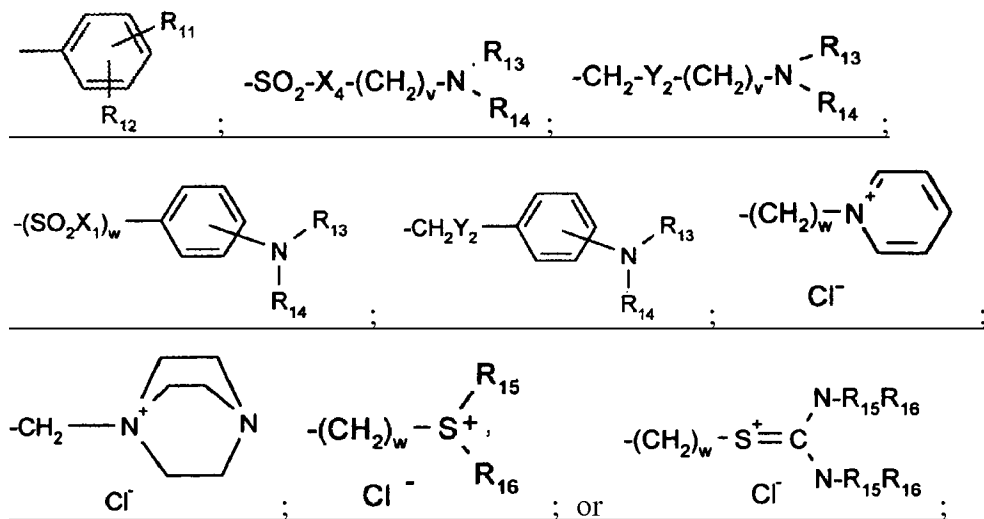
q is 0; 1; or 2;

~~Y₃ is hydrogen; an alkali metal ion or ammonium ion; and~~

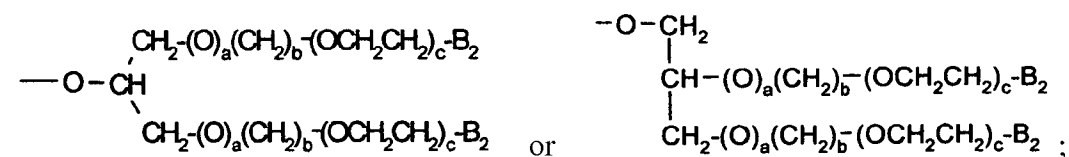
r is any number from 1 to 4;

Q₂ is hydroxyl; C₁-C₂₂alkyl; branched C₃-C₂₂alkyl; C₂-C₂₂alkenyl; branched C₃-C₂₂alkenyl and mixtures thereof; C₁-C₂₂alkoxy; a carboxyl radical; a radical of the formula





a branched alkoxy radical of the formula



an alkylethyleneoxy unit of the formula $\text{---}(\text{T}_1)_d\text{---}(\text{CH}_2)_b\text{---}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2)_a\text{---B}_3$

or an ester of the formula COOR_{18}

in which

B_2 is hydrogen; hydroxyl; $\text{C}_1\text{--C}_{30}$ alkyl; $\text{C}_1\text{--C}_{30}$ alkoxy; $\text{---CO}_2\text{H}$; CH_2COOH ; $\text{---PO}_3^{2-}\text{M}_1$; $\text{---OPO}_3^{2-}\text{M}_1$
 and mixtures thereof;

B_3 is hydrogen; hydroxyl; ---COOH ; or $\text{C}_1\text{--C}_6$ alkoxy;

M₁ is a water-soluble cation;

T₁ is -O- or -NH-;

X₁ and X₄ independently of one another are -NH- or N-C₁-C₅alkyl;

R₁₁ and R₁₂ independently of one another are hydrogen; a carboxyl group and salts thereof or a hydroxyl group; at least one of the radicals R₁₁ and R₁₂ being a carboxyl group or salts thereof,

Y₂ is -O-; -S-; -NH- or N-C₁-C₅alkyl;

R₁₃ and R₁₄ independently of one another are hydrogen; C₁-C₆alkyl; hydroxy-C₁-C₆alkyl; cyano-C₁-C₆alkyl; sulfo-C₁-C₆alkyl; carboxy or halogen-C₁-C₆alkyl; unsubstituted phenyl or phenyl substituted by halogen, C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkoxy; carboxyl, or R₁₃ and R₁₄ together with the nitrogen atom to which they are bonded form a saturated 5- or 6-membered heterocyclic ring which may additionally also contain a nitrogen or oxygen atom as a ring member;

R₁₅ and R₁₆ independently of one another are C₁-C₆alkyl or aryl-C₁-C₆alkyl radicals;

R₁₇ is hydrogen; an unsubstituted C₁-C₆alkyl or C₁-C₆alkyl substituted by halogen, hydroxyl, cyano, phenyl, carboxyl, carb-C₁-C₆alkoxy or C₁-C₆alkoxy;

R₁₈ is C₁-C₂₂alkyl; branched C₃-C₂₂alkyl; C₁-C₂₂alkenyl or branched C₃-C₂₂alkenyl; C₃-C₂₂glycol; C₁-C₂₂alkoxy; branched C₃-C₂₂alkoxy; and mixtures thereof;

M is hydrogen; or an alkali metal ion or ammonium ion;

Z₂⁻ is a chlorine; bromine; alkylsulfate or aralkylsulfate ion;

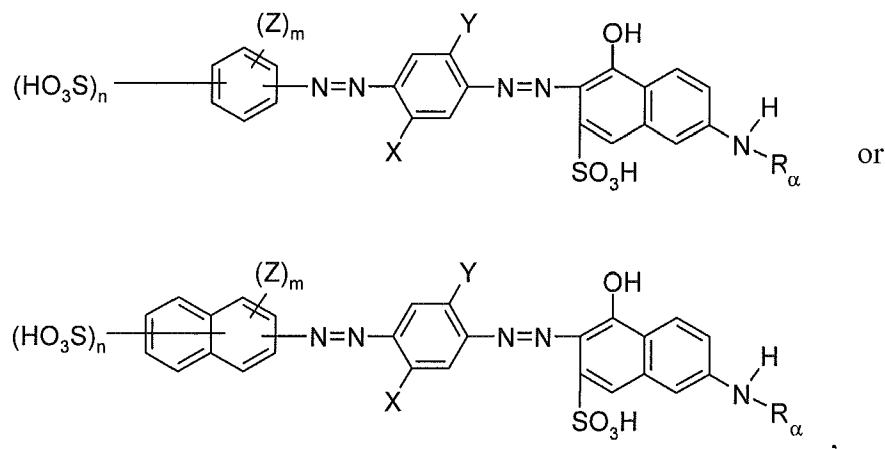
a is 0 or 1; b is from 0 to 6; c is from 0 to 100; d is 0 or 1; e is from 0 to 22; v is an integer from 2 to 12; w is 0 or 1;

where the phthalocyanine ring system may also comprise further solubilising groups;

and at least one azo dyestuff and/or at least one triphenylmethane dyestuff, which produce a relative hue angle of 220 - 320°, wherein the dyestuff component is degraded when the composition is exposed to sunlight and wherein the degradation rate of the azo dyestuff(s) and/or triphenylmethane dyestuff(s) is at least 1 % per 2 hours.

2-5. (Cancelled).

6. (Previously Presented) A composition according to claim 1, comprising at least one azo dyestuff of formula



wherein

X and Y, independently of one another, are each hydrogen; C₁-C₄-alkyl or C₁-C₄-alkoxy,

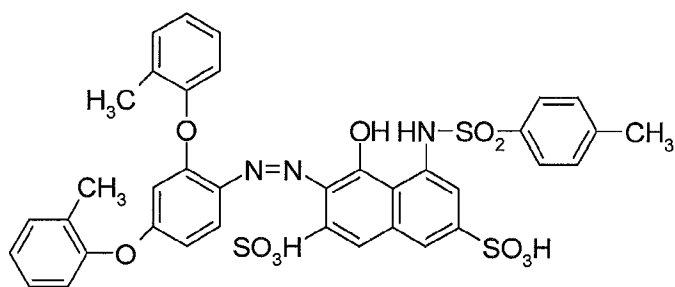
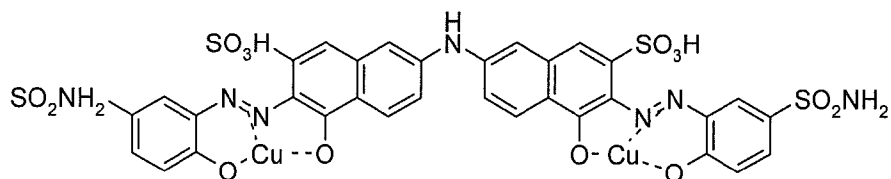
R_α is hydrogen or aryl,

Z is C₁-C₄-alkyl; C₁-C₄-alkoxy; halogen; hydroxyl or carboxyl,

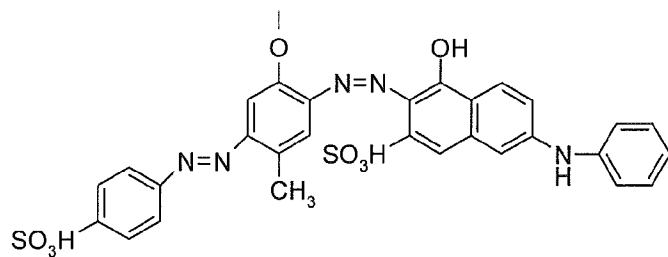
n is 1 or 2 and

m is 0, 1 or 2, as well as the corresponding salts thereof and mixtures thereof.

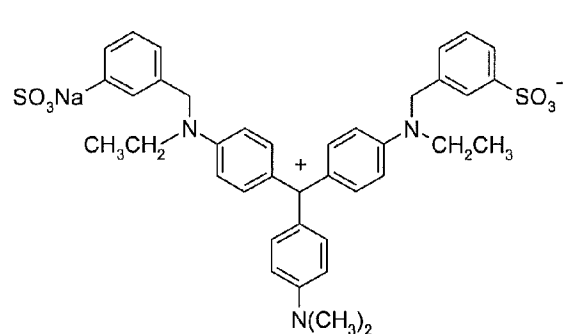
7. (Previously Presented) A composition according to claim 1, comprising at least one azo dyestuff of formula



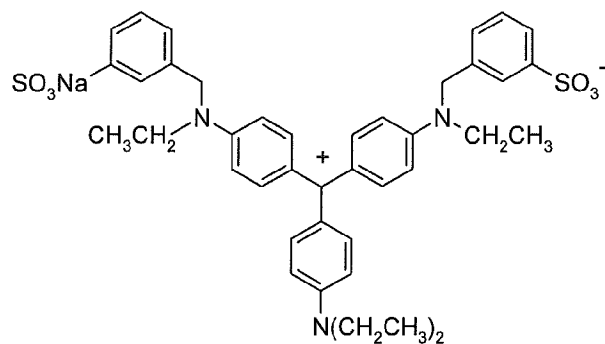
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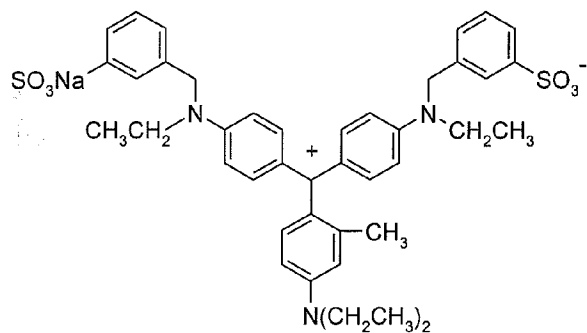
8. (Previously Presented) A composition according to claim 1, comprising at least one triphenylmethane dyestuff of formula



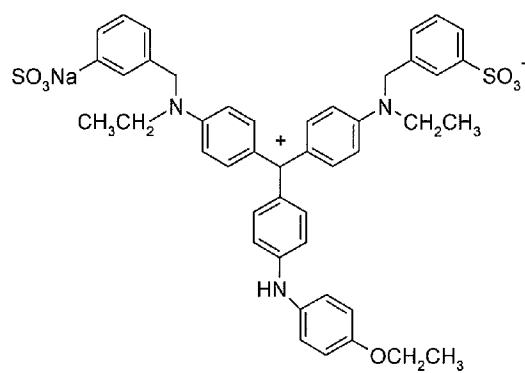
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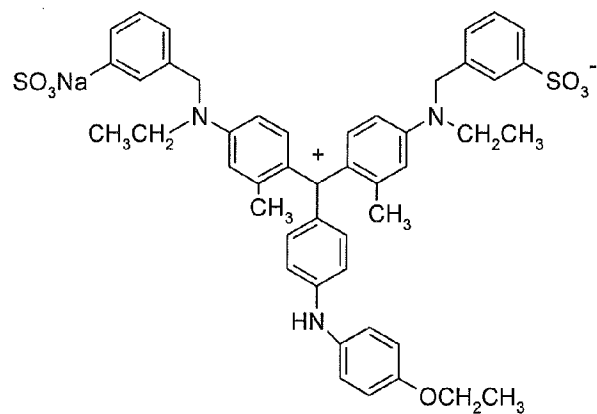
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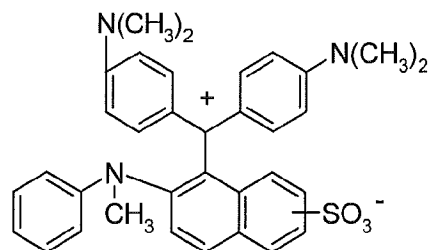
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or



9. (Previously Presented) A composition according to claim 1, wherein at least one fluorescent whitening agent is comprised.

10. (Previously Presented) A granular formulation comprising a composition according to claim 1.

11. (Previously Presented) A granular formulation according to claim 10, comprising

a) from 2 to 75 wt-% of at least one water-soluble phthalocyanine photocatalyst and at least one azo dyestuff and/or at least one triphenylmethane dyestuff, based on the total weight of the granulate,

b) from 10 to 95 wt-% of at least one further additive, based on the total weight of the granulate, and

c) from 0 to 15 wt-% water, based on the total weight of the granulate.

12. (Previously Presented) A liquid formulation comprising a composition according to claim 1.

13. (Withdrawn) A detergent washing agent formulation comprising

I) from 5 to 70 wt-% A) of at least one anionic surfactant and/or B) at least one non-ionic surfactant, based on the total weight of the washing agent formulation,

II) from 5 to 60 wt-% C) of at least one builder substance, based on the total weight of the washing agent formulation,

III) from 0 to 30 wt-% D) of at least one peroxide and, optionally, at least one activator, based on the total weight of the washing agent formulation, and

IV) from 0.001 to 1 wt-% E) of at least one granulate which contains

a) from 2 to 75 wt-% of at least one water-soluble phthalocyanine photocatalyst and at least one azo dyestuff and/or at least one triphenylmethane dyestuff as defined in claim 1, based on the total weight of the granulate,

- b) from 10 to 95 wt-% of at least one further additive, based on the total weight of the granulate, and
- c) from 0 to 15 wt-% water, based on the total weight of the granulate,
- V) from 0 to 60 wt-% F) of at least one further additive, and
- VI) from 0 to 5 wt-% G) water.

14. (Withdrawn) A softener composition comprising

- (a) a composition comprising at least one photocatalyst and at least one azo dyestuff and/or at least one triphenylmethane dyestuff, as defined in claim 1, and
- (b) a fabric softener.

15. (Withdrawn) A shading process, which comprises contacting textile material with a composition as claimed in claim 1.

16. (Previously Presented) Textile material treated with a composition as claimed in claim 1.